

2016 Report on Local Government Contracts for the Provision of Services

[N.C.G.S. 7A-346.2]

Research and Planning Division March 1, 2016



§ 7A-346.2. Various reports to General Assembly.

(a) The Administrative Office of the Courts and the Office of Indigent Defense Services shall report by March 1 of each year to the Chairs of the House of Representatives and Senate Appropriations Committees, to the Chairs of the House of Representatives Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety, and to the Chairs of the Senate Appropriations Committee on Justice and Public Safety on contracts entered into with local governments for the provision of the services of assistant district attorneys, assistant public defenders, judicial secretaries, and employees in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court. The report shall include the number of applications made to the Administrative Office of the Courts or the Office of Indigent Defense Services for these contracts, the number of contracts entered for provision of these positions, and the dollar amounts of each contract.



Local Government Contracts for the Provision of Services (FY 2015-16)

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Scope: This list of contracts is current through February 29, 2016 and reflects contracts which have been active during FY 2015-16. References to "victim-witness legal assistants" have been changed in this report to "district attorney legal assistants" to reflect legislative changes to N.C.G.S. 7A-347 in 2015.

| POSITION LOCATION | FUNDING SOURCE | PROJECT NAME | PROJECT DESCRIPTION | CONTRACT AMOUNT | CONTRACT PERIOD |
|----------------------|--|---|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Alamance County | Alamance County | Alamance County Jail Prosecutor | Provide as assistant district attorney to assist in the speedy disposition of cases as the jail prosecutor | \$60,000 | 8-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Brunswick County | Brunswick County | Mental Health Court Coordinator | Provide a mental health court coordinator to oversee specialty court functions | \$91,703 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Brunswick County | Communities In Schools of Brunswick County, Inc. | Brunswick County Teen Court | Provide a teen court director to oversee operations of a teen court | \$52,012 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Buncombe County | Buncombe County | Administrative Court | Provide an emergency judge for administrative cases involving violations of local ordinances | \$19,194 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Buncombe County | Buncombe County | Buncombe County District Attorney Staff | Provide one assistant district attorney, one district attorney legal assistant, and one district attorney investigator to assist in the speedy disposition of cases involving a threat to public safety | \$225,379 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Buncombe County | Buncombe County | Buncombe County DWI Emergency Judge | Provide an emergency judge to ensure a judge is available for DWI court | \$11,000 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Buncombe County | City of Asheville | Nuisance Court | Provide an emergency judge for nuisance court | \$9,700 | 10-1-15 9-30-16 |
| Cumberland County | Cumberland County | Jail Diversion Program | Provide an assistant district attorney to address expanding pretrial jail population | \$62,405 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Durham County | City of Durham | Durham Domestic Violence ADA | Provide an assistant district attorney to address the expanding domestic violence caseload | \$65,758 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Durham County | City of Durham | Gang Prosecutor | Provide an assistant district attorney to collaborate with law enforcement agencies to identify members of gang organizations, eliminate the organizations, and direct participants to the appropriate community resource or prosecution venue | \$64,396 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |

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| Durham County | City of Durham | Emergency Judge | Provide an emergency judge for the expanding dockets of district court cases | \$30,142 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Durham County | City of Durham | VWLADomestic Violence | Provide a district attorney legal assistant to address the expanding domestic violence caseload | \$53,400 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Durham County | Durham County | Jail ADA | Provide an assistant district attorney to identify jail inmates who are deemed eligible for release and expedite the court process | \$64,953 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Forsyth County | Court Services | Provide a deferred payment coordinator in the district court judge's office to collect outstanding amounts due to the court system | \$54,386 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Forsyth County | Court Services | Provide two legal assistants for the district attorney's office to address the domestic violence caseload | \$101,307 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Forsyth County | Domestic Violence ADA | Provide an assistant district attorney to expedite the disposition of domestic violence cases | \$56,154 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Forsyth County | Violence Against Women | Provide a district attorney legal assistant to assist with prosecution of domestic violence cases | \$49,401 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Forsyth County | Safe on Seven DV Program | Provide a deputy clerk to address the domestic violence caseload | \$43,753 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Winston- Salem/ Forsyth County School Board of Education | Fines Collection Program | Provide a deputy clerk to assist with collection of fines and forfeitures | \$43,753 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Forsyth County | Winston- Salem/ Forsyth County School Board of Education | Infraction Court | Provide a deputy clerk for infraction court duties | \$43,753 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Harnett County | Harnett County | Drug and Violent Offender Prosecutor | Provide an assistant district attorney whose principle purpose of employment is to prosecute criminal offenses involving drugs and/or violence as well as district court prosecutions which may be necessary to provide other prosecutors the time and opportunity to appear in superior court | \$128,955 | 3-16-15 6-30-16 |
| Haywood County | Haywood County | Domestic Violence Program – Assistant District Attorney | Provide an assistant district attorney to address the growing domestic violence caseload | \$193,134 | 3-1-15 2-28-18 |

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| Haywood County | Haywood County | Domestic Violence Program – DA Investigator | Provide a district attorney investigator to address the expanding domestic violence caseload | \$28,180 | 3-1-15 8-31-15 |
| Haywood County | 30 th Judicial District Domestic Violence- Sexual Assault Alliance, Inc. | Haywood County Domestic Violence District Attorney Investigator | Provide a district attorney investigator to address the expanding domestic violence caseload | \$89,266 | 12-1-15 6-30-17 |
| Iredell County | Iredell County | Iredell Co. Jail Population Reduction ADA | Provide an assistant district attorney to identify jail inmates who are deemed eligible for release and expedite the court process | \$61,953 | 3-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | City of Charlotte | State Justice Services Personnel | Provide two assistant district attorneys and three district attorney legal assistants to assist with the criminal case backlog | \$294,177 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | City of Charlotte | Mecklenburg Youth Employment Program | Provide one summer intern in the clerk of superior court's office and one summer intern in the trial court administrator's office | \$2,560 | 6-22-15 8-14-15 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | Court Set - District Court | Provide four assistant district attorneys and a deputy clerk position to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$308,485 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | Court Set - Superior Court | Provide two assistant district attorneys, four district attorney legal assistants, one administrative assistant III, and a deputy clerk to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$445,905 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | District Attorney's Office | Provide five district attorney legal assistants and five legal assistant II positions to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$497,345 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | PJSC | Provides a trial court coordinator to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$64,542 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | Criminal Felony Administration | Provide four deputy clerk positions to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$212,475 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | Jury Management Program | Provide a judicial assistant position for jury management activities | \$51,637 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | District Attorney's Office | Provide 13 assistant district attorneys and 7 district attorney legal assistants to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$1,193,003 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |

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| Mecklenburg County | Mecklenburg County | Criminal Felony Administration | Provide two criminal case coordinators, one criminal court administrator, and a judicial assistant to address cases involving threats to the public's safety | \$212,475 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Orange County | Chapel Hill- Carrboro City Schools, Chatham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council, Chatham County Schools, Orange County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council, Orange County Schools | District 15B Juvenile Court/School Liaison | Provide a juvenile court school liaison to coordinate social services for juvenile offenders in the District 15B school systems | \$53,095 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Person County | Person County | Person County VWLA | Provide a district attorney legal assistant position to aid in the speedy disposition of cases involving a threat to public safety | \$103,661 | 9-1-15 6-30-17 |
| Union County | Union County | District 20B DA Staff | Provide two assistant district attorneys to address the pre-trial jail population | \$141,530 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Wake County | City of Raleigh | District 10 Investigator | Provide an investigator in the district attorney's office to help expedite the disposition of criminal cases | \$61,051 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |
| Wake County | Wake County | Jail Diversion Program | Provide a district attorney legal assistant to support the jail diversion program | \$47,452 | 7-1-15 6-30-16 |